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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX**

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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 19Jul-02**

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Weighted Price</u>	<u># of Boxes</u>
07/15	2,405	5.26	45-68	53.69	9,938
07/16	2,302	5.15	45-67	53.25	7,766
07/17	2,341	5.11	47-68	53.28	8,818
07/18	2,380	5.04	46-68	53.77	6,567
07/19	2,276	5.10	45-67	53.58	10,002
			Cumulative:	53.51	43,091

\*Holiday - Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

**NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 22-Jul-02**

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	50.95	51.17	57.00
Chicago	51.08	50.77	54.86
Detroit	51.50	51.38	54.92
Los Angeles	66.73	66.58	67.99
12-City Composite	57.64	57.56	61.07

**NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 19-Jul-02**

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	138.33	2,291,630
Tenderloins	102.27	814,030
Breast - With Ribs	81.91	923,909
Breast - Line Run	76.85	641,720
Legs	35.62	681,480
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	18.42	2,062,486
Drumsticks	33.62	631,045
Thighs	24.86	487,780
B/S Thighs	66.94	357,320
Wings (Whole)	58.61	880,380

(Includes NY City metro area, RI, Northern NJ, MA, CT, PA (NE of Harrisburg))

**BROILER EGGS SET/CHICKS PLACED 19 STATES (000), Week Ending 13-Jul-02**

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>	<u>10-Weeks Prior</u>	<u>7-Weeks Prior</u>
Eggs Set	209,053	205,500	207,061	209,736	213,765
Chicks Placed	168,295	172,212	165,397	172,835	171,782

**SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, W/E 13-JUL-02**

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	158,616	136,949	158,097
Average Live Weight	5.03	5.08	5.06
To Date 2002 (000)	4,315,575	4,156,959	-----
To Date 2001 (000)	4,268,621	4,110,524	-----

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